

MEMORANDUM

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25 May 1950

To: STC (Attn: C 3)

From: Chief, FDS

Subject: Request for Operational Clearance

1. Operational Clearance is requested for the following agents to be used in the GARTEL operation:

- a. GARTEL 1
- b. GARTEL 2
- c. GARTEL 3
- d. GARTEL 6
- e. GARTEL 7
- f. GARTEL 8
- g. GARTEL 10
- h. GARTEL 11
- i. GARTEL 12
- j. GARTEL 13
- k. GARTEL 14
- l. GARTEL 15
- m. GARTEL 16
- n. GARTEL 17

2. GARTEL 2 immigrated to the United States under the DP Quota with his family and has filed his Declaration of Intention of becoming a citizen. Clearance to maintain contact with him on matters pertaining to operations overseas has been requested from the FBI. GARTEL 2 is presently overseas but a request for security clearance in this country will be made as soon as he returns.

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25 May 1950

To: STG (Attn: ☐ ☐)

From: Chief, FDS

Subject: Identification of Subjects in Referenced Memo

Ref: Memo (~~"Request for Operational Circumstances"~~), dated 25 May 1950

1. Identification of subjects is keyed to paragraph 1 a-c of referenced memo. Reference is made to the conversation between ☐ and ☐ on May 24, 1950, during which only the following information was requested:

- a. Ivan HRINIOGH aka Dr. KOVALENKO, Dr. DUBROVA, Dr. ORLOV, born 28 Dec. 1907.
- b. Mikola LEBED aka Maxim RUBAN, Roman ZAHINNY, Roman TURAN, born 11 Dec. 1909.
- c. Yuri LOPATINSKI aka KALINA, born 4 December 1906.
- d. Yaroslav FEDYK, aka Roman ZAREVICH, born 10 Sept. 1916.
- e. Ivan PANKIV aka VOLOCHUMA, born 14 July 1912.
- f. Mikola MELNICHIN aka MALIK, born 25 Sept. 1920.
- g. Orest WISZNIEWSKI aka BOGDAN, and OSTAP, born 20 Dec. 1920.
- h. Dnestro CHOMYK, aka RYBALKA and ROMAN, born 29 Sept. 1923.
- i. Petro STIRANKO aka MAK, born 12 March 1924.
- j. Ilko SENGHEZAK aka PASS, born 22 June 1924.
- k. Wasyi GUDYK aka GRIEK, born 5 March 1927.
- l. Mihailo CHORNYI aka HROMENKO, born 13 Dec. 1928.
- m. Vasyl COHRENOWICZ aka Vasyl GAWLICE, BARD and SEIB, born 25 May 1914.
- n. Vasyi CHASZCZYWSKY aka RUBAN, born 16 Jan. 1923.

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